

HOUSE RESOLUTION 47

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A RESOLUTION to extend the reporting deadline for the special committee created by House Resolution 82 of the One Hundred Sixth General Assembly and extended by House Resolution 225 of the One Hundred Sixth General Assembly to study and identify methods and practices for reducing infant mortality.

WHEREAS, in furtherance of the worthy goal of reducing infant mortality and teen birth rates in the state of Tennessee, House Resolution 82 of the One Hundred Sixth General Assembly created a special committee to study these important public health issues; and

WHEREAS, House Resolution 225 of the One Hundred Sixth General Assembly extended the reporting deadline for the special committee to April 1, 2010; and

WHEREAS, the reporting deadline should be extended once again to allow the special committee ample time to complete its study and compile its findings and recommendations; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that the reporting deadline for the special committee created by House Resolution 82 of the One Hundred Sixth General Assembly, and extended by House Resolution 225 of the One Hundred Sixth General Assembly, to study and identify methods and practices for reducing infant mortality is hereby extended to March 1, 2012, and the special committee shall report its findings and recommendations, including any proposed legislation, to the One Hundred Seventh General Assembly no later than such date.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that in addition to the six (6) members of the special committee provided for in House Resolution 82 of the One Hundred Sixth General Assembly,

there shall be two (2) additional members for a total of eight (8) members. These two (2) additional members shall be members of the house of representatives who are serving their first term in the body.